Amendments to the Specification

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Brief Description of the Drawing:

Figure 1a: Graph showing the transmission I as a function of the angle $\varnothing$.

Figure 1b: Graph showing the transmission I as a function of the angle $\varnothing$ for another embodiment of an electrooptical system according to the invention.

Figure 2: Is a representation of a reflective device.

Figure 3: Graph showing transmission or brightness in the unaddressed state as a function of the birefringence Δn of the nemative liquid-crystal layer.

Figure 4a: Graph showing a comparison of the transmissions I as a function of the viewing angle $\varnothing$.

Figure 4b: Graph showing the dependence of the transmission I on the viewing angle $\varnothing$ for the cells described in Fig. 4a.

Figure 5: A configuration of the electrooptical system.

Figure 6: Graph showing the transmission as a function of the viewing angle $\varnothing$.

Figure 7a: Graph showing the viewing angle dependence of the transmission for a cell.

Figure 7b: Graph showing the viewing angle dependence of the transmission for a second cell.

Figure 8: Graph showing the dependence of the transmission on the polariser setting of an electrooptical system according to the invention.

Figure 9: Illustrates polariser settings.

Figure 10: Graph showing the dependence of the transmission on the polariser configuration.

Figure 11: Illustrates polariser configuration.

Figure 12: Graph showing isocontrast curves for a conventional compensated ECB system.

Figure 13: Graph showing electrooptical characteristic lines for an ECB system according to this invention.

Figure 14: Graph showing isocontrast lines for the optimised system.

Figure 15: Graph showing isocontrast lines for the system described in Fig. 8.

Figure 16: Positive compensation layers.

Figure 17: Graph of the transmission as a function of the birefringence Δn of the addressed liquid-crystal layer for a system containing an optically negative layer of Fig. 15.

Figure 18: Graph showing the transmission I as a function of the angle $\varnothing$ for an embodiment according to the invention.

Figure 19: Graph showing the transmission I as a function of the angle $\varnothing$ for another embodiment according to the invention.

Figure 20: Graph showing the electrooptical characteristic line for the system in Fig. 17.

Figure 21a: Representation of compensation layers having a tilted arrangement of molecules.

Figure 21b: Representation of compensation layers having an essentially homeotropic alignment.

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